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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of

Examiner: William H. Mayo III

Sugawara et al.

Group Art Unit: 2616

Serial No.: 10/728,260

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For: MULTIPLEXING TRANSMISSION APPARATUSES, MULTIPLEX
TRANSMISSION NETWORKS, AND OPERATION METHOD THEREFOR

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

In connection with the above-referenced application, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A Petition for A One Month Extension of Time is enclosed.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.